subsequent sustainment phases of the deliverable or construction material.

- (2) This prohibition does not apply to hexavalent chromium produced as a by-product of manufacturing processes.
- (c) If authorization for incorporation of hexavalent chromium in a deliverable or construction material is required, the Contractor shall submit a request to the Contracting Officer.
- (d) Subcontracts. The Contractor shall include the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (d), in all subcontracts for supplies, maintenance and repair services, or construction materials.

(End of clause)

[76 FR 25576, May 5, 2011]

252.225-7000 Buy American Act—Buy American Statute—Balance of Payments Program Certificate.

As prescribed in 225.1101(1)(i), use the following provision:

BUY AMERICAN —BALANCE OF PAYMENTS PROGRAM CERTIFICATE (JUN 2012)

- (a) Definitions. "Commercially available off-the-shelf (COTS) item," "component," "domestic end product," "foreign end product," "qualifying country," "qualifying country end product," and "United States" have the meanings given in the Buy American Act and Balance of Payments Program clause of this solicitation.
 - (b) Evaluation. The Government-
- (1) Will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of Part 225 of the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; and
- (2) Will evaluate offers of qualifying country end products without regard to the restrictions of the Buy American statute or the Balance of Payments Program.
- (c) Certifications and identification of country of origin. (1) For all line items subject to the Buy American and Balance of Payments Program clause of this solicitation, the offeror certifies that—
- (i) Each end product, except those listed in paragraph (c)(2) or (3) of this provision, is a domestic end product; and
- (ii) For end products other than COTS items, components of unknown origin are considered to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States or a qualifying country.
- (2) The offeror certifies that the following end products are qualifying country end products:

(Line Item Number)

(Country of Origin)

(3) The following end products are other foreign end products, including end products manufactured in the United States that do not qualify as domestic end products, i.e., an end product that is not a COTS item and does not meet the component test in paragraph (ii) of the definition of "domestic end product":

(Line Item Number)

(Country of Origin (If known))

(End of provision)

Alternate I (DEC 2010) As prescribed in 225.1101(1)(ii), add the terms "South Caucasus/Central and South Asian (SC/CASA) state" and "South Caucasus/Central and South Asian (SC/CASA) state end product" in paragraph (a) and replace the phrase "qualifying country end products" in paragraphs (b)(2) and (c)(2) with the phrase "qualifying country end products or SC/CASA state end products."

[68 FR 15634, Mar. 31, 2003; 68 FR 25088, May 9, 2003, as amended at 70 FR 35546, June 21, 2005; 74 FR 2423, Jan. 15, 2009; 74 FR 68384, Dec. 24, 2009; 75 FR 81918, Dec. 29, 2010; 77 FR 35882, June 15, 2012]

252.225-7001 Buy American Act and Balance of Payments Program.

As prescribed in 225.1101(2)(i), use the following clause:

BUY AMERICAN AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS PROGRAM (JUN 2012)

- (a) Definitions. As used in this clause—
 Commercially available off-the-shelf (COTS)
- (i) Means any item of supply (including construction material) that is— $\,$
- (A) A commercial item (as defined in paragraph (1) of the definition of "commercial item" in section 2.101 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation);
- (B) Sold in substantial quantities in the commercial marketplace; and
- (C) Offered to the Government, under a contract or subcontract at any tier, without modification, in the same form in which it is sold in the commercial marketplace; and
- (ii) Does not include bulk cargo, as defined in 46 U.S.C. 40102(4), such as agricultural products and petroleum products.

Component means an article, material, or supply incorporated directly into an end product.

Domestic end product means—

(i) An unmanufactured end product that has been mined or produced in the United States; or

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- (ii) An end product manufactured in the United States if—
- (A) The cost of its qualifying country components and its components that are mined. produced, or manufactured in the United States exceeds 50 percent of the cost of all its components. The cost of components includes transportation costs to the place of incorporation into the end product and U.S. duty (whether or not a duty-free entry certificate is issued). Scrap generated, collected, and prepared for processing in the United States is considered domestic. A component is considered to have been mined. produced, or manufactured in the United States (regardless of its source in fact) if the end product in which it is incorporated is manufactured in the United States and the component is of a class or kind for which the Government has determined that-
- (1) Sufficient and reasonably available commercial quantities of a satisfactory quality are not mined, produced, or manufactured in the United States; or
- (2) It is inconsistent with the public interest to apply the restrictions of the Buy American statute; or
- (B) The end product is a COTS item.

End product means those articles, materials, and supplies to be acquired under this contract for public use.

Foreign $en\tilde{d}$ product means an end product other than a domestic end product.

Qualifying country means a country with a reciprocal defense procurement memorandum of understanding or international agreement with the United States in which both countries agree to remove barriers to purchases of supplies produced in the other country or services performed by sources of the other country, and the memorandum or agreement complies, where applicable, with the requirements of section 36 of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2776) and with 10 U.S.C. 2457. Accordingly, the following are qualifying countries:

Australia Italy Austria Luxembourg Belgium Netherlands Canada Norway Czech Republic Portugal Denmark Spain Egypt Sweden Finland Switzerland France Turkey

Germany United Kingdom of Greece Great Britain and Israel Northern Ireland.

Qualifying country component means a component mined, produced, or manufactured in a qualifying country.

Qualifying country end product means—

- (i) An unmanufactured end product mined or produced in a qualifying country; or
- (ii) An end product manufactured in a qualifying country if—

- (A) The cost of the following types of components exceeds 50 percent of the cost of all its components:
- (1) Components mined, produced, or manufactured in a qualifying country.
- (2) Components mined, produced, or manufactured in the United States.
- (3) Components of foreign origin of a class or kind for which the Government has determined that sufficient and reasonably available commercial quantities of a satisfactory quality are not mined, produced, or manufactured in the United States; or
 - (B) The end product is a COTS item.
- United States means the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and outlying areas.
- (b) This clause implements, Buy American. In accordance with 41 U.S.C. 1907, the component test of the Buy American statute is waived for an end product that is a COTS item (see section 12.505(a)(1) of the Federal Acquisition Regulation). Unless otherwise specified, this clause applies to all line items in the contract.
- (c) The Contractor shall deliver only domestic end products unless, in its offer, it specified delivery of other end products in the Buy American —Balance of Payments Program Certificate provision of the solicitation. If the Contractor certified in its offer that it will deliver a qualifying country end product, the Contractor shall deliver a qualifying country end product or, at the Contractor's option, a domestic end product.
- (d) The contract price does not include duty for end products or components for which the Contractor will claim duty-free entry.

(End of clause)

Alternate I (OCT 2011). As prescribed in 225.1101(2)(ii), add the following definitions to paragraph (a) and substitute the following paragraphs (b) and (c) for paragraphs (b) and (c) of the basic clause:

(a) "South Caucasus/Central and South Asian (SC/CASA) state" means Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Pakistan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, or Uzbekistan.

"South Caucasus/Central and South Asian (SC/CASA) state end product" means an article that—

- (i) Is wholly the growth, product, or manufacture of an SC/CASA state; or
- (ii) In the case of an article that consists in whole or in part of materials from another country, has been substantially transformed in an SC/CASA state into a new and different article of commerce with a name, character, or use distinct from that of the article or articles from which it was transformed. The term refers to a product offered for purchase under a supply contract, but for purposes of

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calculating the value of the end product includes services (except transportation services) incidental to its supply, provided that the value of those incidental services does not exceed the value of the product itself.

- (b) This clause implements the Balance of Payments Program. Unless otherwise specified, this clause applies to all line items in the contract.
- (c) The Contractor shall deliver only domestic end products unless, in its offer, it specified delivery of other end products in the Buy American Act Balance of Payments Program Certificate provision of the solicitation. If the Contractor certified in its offer that it will deliver a qualifying country end product or an SC/CASA state end product, the Contractor shall deliver a qualifying country end product an SC/CASA state end product, or, at the Contractor's option, a domestic end product.

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EDITORIAL NOTE: At 77 FR 35882, June 15, 2012, 252.225-7001 was amended by revising the section heading; however, the amendment could not be incorporated because there was no text for the revision.

252.225-7002 Qualifying country sources as subcontractors.

As prescribed in 225.1101(3), use the following clause:

QUALIFYING COUNTRY SOURCES AS SUBCONTRACTORS (JUN 2012)

(a) Definition. Qualifying country, as used in this clause, means a country with a reciprocal defense procurement memorandum of understanding or international agreement with the United States in which both countries agree to remove barriers to purchases of supplies produced in the other country or services performed by sources of the other country, and the memorandum or agreement complies, where applicable, with the requirements of section 36 of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2776) and with 10 U.S.C. 2457. Accordingly, the following are qualifying countries:

Australia Italy Austria Luxembourg Belgium Netherlands Canada Norway Czech Republic Portugal Denmark Spain Egypt Sweden Finland Switzerland France Turkey

Germany United Kingdom of Greece Great Britain and Israel Northern Ireland (b) Subject to the restrictions in section 225.872 of the Defense FAR Supplement, the Contractor shall not preclude qualifying country sources or U.S. sources from competing for subcontracts under this contract.

(End of clause)

[68 FR 15634, Mar. 31, 2003, as amended at 77 FR 38737, June 29, 2012]

252.225-7003 Report of intended performance outside the United States and Canada—Submission with offer.

As prescribed in 225.7204(a), use the following provision:

REPORT OF INTENDED PERFORMANCE OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA—SUBMIS-SION WITH OFFER (OCT 2010)

- (a) Definition. United States, as used in this provision, means the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and outlying areas.
- (b) The offeror shall submit, with its offer, a report of intended performance outside the United States and Canada if—
- (1) The offer exceeds \$12.5 million in value; and
- (2) The offeror is aware that the offeror or a first-tier subcontractor intends to perform any part of the contract outside the United States and Canada that—
 - (i) Exceeds \$650,000 in value; and
- (ii) Could be performed inside the United States or Canada.
- (c) Information to be reported includes that for—
- (1) Subcontracts;
- (2) Purchases; and
- (3) Intracompany transfers when transfers originate in a foreign location.
- (d) The offeror shall submit the report using—
- (1) DD Form 2139, Report of Contract Performance Outside the United States; or
- (2) A computer-generated report that contains all information required by DD Form 2139.
- (e) The offeror may obtain a copy of DD Form 2139 from the Contracting Officer or via the Internet at http://www.dtic.mil/whs/directives/infomqt/forms/formsprogram.htm.

(End of provision)

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